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E-S-Q.

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I wonder what the letters mean!
I wonder if they show
That some are stationed high in life,
And some are standing low!
If yes, I wonder which they mark?
I cannot tell—can you?—
Whether 'tis honor or disgrace
To be an E-s-q.

'Tis true that in another land
They do a meaning own,
And note the faintest ray that's shot
From the scintillant throne;
But, sending for a bootblack here,
I cannot tell—can you?—
Why I should, would, could, ought to write,—
"Sam Jonson, E-s-q."

And writing to a man of parts,
Whose claims to honor flow
From mighty deeds or stirring words,
What do the letters show?
That they will lustre cast on him
I cannot think—can you?—
We nothing add, sir, though we write
Addendum; "E-s-q."

"But we must some distinction make!"
Indeed! 'Tis very right;
But quite as easy for the blind
To tell the dark from light.
What court shall sit upon the claims?
I would not dare— would you?—
Say who shall be a simple MAN,
And who an E-s-q.

If thou would'st challenge men's respect,
So labor that thy name
May glisten with an inborn light
Upon the scroll of fame:
Our very schoolboys, sir, would laugh—
And so, I think, would you—
O'er "Commentaries, written by
J. Cæsar, E-s-q."

I really wonder men of rank,
And men of genius, too,
Don't drop forever, and at once,
The senseless E-s-q.
See, gentlemen, we nameless folk
Are aping after you;
I marvel that you still will use
Plebeian E-s-q.

I'm no reformer; would not choose
To make myself a mark
For Custom's arrows, while her ears
In stupid chorus bark;
Follow the fashion, if you please—
It may be meat for you—
But let me shoot for rarer game
Than common E-s-q.

Geary's Soliloquy.

AIR—*Captain Jinks.*

I'm Governor "Hans" of the Keystone State,
For lobby jobs I sit up late;
I leave the people to their fate,
For I am Governor Geary.
Oh! I'm the favorite of the Ring,
The jolly Ring, the jolly Ring,
I'm King of the Ring, I'm King of the Ring,
For I am Governor Geary.

Pete Herdic's bill in haste I sign,
To make Lycoming's delegates mine,
Oh! don't I play my game quite fine,
Since I am Governor Geary!—
Yes, I'm the favorite of the Ring,
The jolly Ring, the jolly Ring,
I'm King of the Ring, I'm King of the Ring,
For I am Governor Geary.

I'm for the slipp'ry Oil Pipe bill,
I care not for Venango's will,
The oil-men will not fill my till
Though I am Governor Geary,
Oh! I'm the favorite of the Ring,
The jolly Ring, the jolly Ring,
I'm King of the Ring, I'm King of the Ring
For I am Governor Geary.

I love the boys who fold and paste,
And sign their little bill in haste,
Nor palter long about the waste,
For I am Governor Geary.
Oh! I'm the favorite of the Ring,
The jolly Ring, the jolly Ring,
I'm King of the Ring, I'm King of the Ring,
For I am Governor Geary.

I'm Governor "Hans" of the Keystone State,
My foes did Packer nominate,
I know 'twas done to seal my fate,
And I'll not be Governor Geary,
Oh! I'm the victim of the Ring,
The quaking Ring, the breaking Ring,
I'm the broken tool of the bursting Ring,
And I'll not be Governor Geary.

Miscellaneous.

MY FIRST MONEY.

It was a sixpence! New, clean, and shiny, bearing upon it the image and superscription of our queen; Victoria, D. G., Britanniarum, &c., just like other sixpences, but so white, so glossy, and so well struck, that no other sixpence on earth could have borne comparison with it.

This was not a fact open to question. I had already classed it among the articles of my belief, when taking the "sixpence" delicately between my fingers I laid it tenderly upon my bed, and then knelt down on the floor in order to have a better view of it. This was my first adoration of Mammon, my first worship of the golden—or, to speak by the card, the silver—calf. I was five years old; the sixpence was four years and a half my junior. Four years and a half! This was a great deal, the advantage of age was manifestly on my side, and this, I suspect, had not a little to do with the semi-patronizing glances which, notwithstanding my immense veneration for this idolized sixpence, I occasionally ventured to throw upon it. For I should not, I feel, have gazed thus at an elder sixpence. An octogenarian coin, for instance, would have impressed me with a certain degree of awe. It might have been round the world in the breeches-pocket of Captain Cook, it might have witnessed Trafalgar from the waistcoat of Lord Nelson, it might have passed through the hard fingers of the Iron Duke. A sixpence of that sort could not have been viewed with dippancy. No, it was beetter to have a young and inexperienced sixpence, a sixpence with all its troubles before it, like a youthful bear. It and I were more on a footing of equality; tthere was no need for me to stand upon ceremony with it, and I could freely give vent to my sentiments in its presence without transgressing the laws of propriety. There was no fear of its looking sourly at me, as much as to say, "You little simpleton, it is lamentable for a coin like me to fall into such illbred hands as yours. Nor Burke, nor Sheridan, nor Charles James Fox, all of whom I knew most intimately, even grinned at me as you do; and the young William Pitt (to whom I was introduced by his illustrious father the Earl of Chatham) never laughed at me."

That was the great advantage of a young sixpence, it being so fresh to the ways of society. There was no danger of its having learned its manners from the Prince Regent, or modelled its demeanor upon that of Lord Castlereagh. It could afford to be indulgent if I chuckled too loud, and could make allowance, if, in the jubilant pride of possession, I rubbed my hands too ecstatically. Besides, considering the matter from a more material point of view, a young sixpence was larger, brighter, heavier, than an old one; there seemed to be more of it; there were no disgraceful patches of black about it, such as spoke of a sojourn in a dust-bin, in the till of a rag-shop, or in the purse of an enconomical sweep. The features of the Queen upon it were not disfigured by scars, crosses, or knife-marks to prove that its former possessors suspected the honesty of their familiars, and were obliged for prudence' sake to mark their coins. It had no unseemly holes bored in it, and no Hebrew had sweated it to the thinness of a bit of tin. It had everything in its favor—beauty, youth, distinction, and novelty. For you must remember it was my *first* sixpence, the first coin upon which I had ever gazed as my own, the first money of which I had ever had the free disposal. True, a few specimens of the currency had occasionally passed through my hands, in the shape of fugitive half-pence; but as my mother had always requested me to put these into the poor-box, I could scarcely be said to have had the full enjoyment of them. Hence this money was indeed my first, and O Plutus! the gold mines of Peru, made over to me by bond, duly signed and sealed, would have delighted me less than this sixpence.

It was my father who had given it me, and under memorable circumstances. He had been a long while involved in one of those suits in Chancery, which are the triumphs of our legislation. Seven-and-twenty years had it lasted, but at the end of that time, by a happy dispensation of Providence, he had been so fortunate as to gain his cause. Lawyers, solicitors, and barristers had, however, been to work so merrily that, all costs and expenses paid, there was left of the estate which formed the bone of contention the exact sum of five pounds ten shillings and twopence. Three letters and a consultation from our family solicitor, informing us of this edifying result, swallowed up the five pounds of this total, and the conscientious member of Lincoln's Inn then scrupulously forwarded to us the remaining ten shillings and two pence, merely deducting therefrom six and eight-pence, price of the envelope in which the residue was enclosed.

My father thereupon ranged seven sixpences on our breakfast table. "My boy," he said, "see what comes of going to law in Great Britain! Your Mother has told you that I have won my suit in chancery?"

"Yes, papa."

"Well, then, look! That is all I get of it;" and he pointed grimly at the sixpences.

I opened wide my eyes.

"All that you get of the whole *suit!*" I echoed, with a surprise which was composed, as other suits are, of a coat, waistcoat and trousers. "Why, papa, those are only the buttons!"

This deplorable joke had earned me my sixpence. My father had thrown it over to me, laughing, and, like a dog who is pelted with a bone, I had rushed hastily off with it for fear he should think of taking it back again.

Six.....PENCE!

For a time anything like cool reflection was impossible. I was too giddy, too startled, to think. How think, indeed, when one has sixpence! My sixpence was as a moon of which the rays dazed me; my head swam, my fingers tingled, my eyes saw whirling through the air in a fantastic gallop several millions of sixpences, all white, all lately issued from the mint, all bearing upon them, like my sixpence, Victoria, D.G., Britanniarum, &c., with her Majesty's head at the royal arms.

At last, however (and happily, too, for I was a small boy, and unused to these emotions), the intensity of my sensations subsided. I grew more philosophical, and after a time was enabled to bring upon the subject that was absorbing me a becoming amount of self-possession. You know, of course, what it was, this subject that was absorbing me? It was the expenditure of my sixpence. Like a Chancellor of the Exchequer with the surplus of a year's budget, I was wondering what I should do with it.

Momentous question! But it needed a refreshing breeze of out-door air to enable me to solve it with coolness. I accordingly rose from my bedside, where I knelt like a Persian worshipping the sun, and having laid my elbows and my sixpence upon the sill of the open window, "multa corde volutans," began deeply to meditate.

Now, it may, perhaps, be accepted as a symptom of my great precocity of spirit that I had not been merged above ten minutes in reflection before I had made up my mind upon one capital point, to wit, that there were only three things upon which my sixpence could worthily be expended,—a donkey, a gold hunting watch, or a pewter squirt.

The only question to decide was upon which of these three my choice should pitch; and here was the rub. I had an artistic admiration for squirts,—pewter squirts especially,—which I classed amongst the sublimest contrivances due to the ingenuity of man. Their use as mediums for the conveyance of ink or soapy water upon the passers-by in the street had always struck me as peculiarly practical, and I think, on the whole, my sixpence would gave gone to the purchase of one of these astonishing instruments had not a reflection suddenly fallen upon me, and drenched my enthusiasm as under a bucket of cold water. I could not remember ever having seen a grown up man make use of a squirt! My father, for instance, had, to my certain knowledge, never spent his morning in squirting ink upon the public throug the drawing room window; and I could not recollect ever having heard my uncles advocate this species of pastime. This was important. Yesterday I had been a boy, and could do boyish things; to-day the case was altered; my sixpence had laid upon me the duties of manhood; it was necessary to be cautious and dignified.....I discarded the squirt, and two things then remained—the donkey and the gold watch. Once more I began to ponder.

The purchase of a donkey, I reasoned, offered unquestionable inducements. There were, first of all, the advantages of locomotion; in the second place, there was the satisfaction of personal vanity, for it was not to be doubted that upon my first appearance in public upon the back of an ass I should become the cynosure of neighboring eyes, and at once take rank amongst the parish celebrities.

This consideration nearly carried my vote by storm; but then, on the other hand, a donkey, I could not but admit, was a less handy possession than a gold hunting watch. The latter would go into one's pocket, whereas the former would not. Indeed, it was more than probable that the donkey would need a certain amount of space to move about in, and if so, what was to be done, for we had no stables? Second thoughts bring counsel, I was a sharp boy, and I remembered the staircase. If the difficulty of bringing the donkey up to the third floor could be once overcome, I should be happy to allow him to sleep in my bed room; there would be ample space for him in the corner close by the wash-hand-stand; and he would be a sociable companion when it rained. There was no fear of his catching a cold or a cough, as he might do if left downstairs in the yard. Yes; but how about his food? The postchaise of my thoughts, whish was at that moment going twenty miles an hour, here struck off a sudden in a deep rut. I had never thought of the food. I was like the Irishman who had a clock. I had forgotten the works. I could not think of asking my father to board the donkey. The thing would be indelicate after he had generously given me sixpence; and yet from whatever point of view I considered the matter, the donkey, I was compelled to own, must eat.....I became miserable. I think I cried. "I saw my donkey depart at a gallop, and scamper away into darkness, carrying away with him upon his back my hopes, my illusions, and my dreams of glory.

But after a few seconds my donkey returned as he had departed, at full gallop. The idea had struck me that his maintenance could be effected by an equitable distribution of my daily meals with him. This was the straw to the drowning man. Having decided that my coming donkey should be nourished upon roast mutton and batter pudding, I was about to rush out to effect my purchase, when, attracted by a noise below, I thrust my head out of the window and saw a small boy, aged ten, throwing cherries in the air and trying to catch them in his mouth.

At this sight I forgot, for the minute the donkey, the roast mutton, and the batter pudding, and considered the cherry. The cherries rose and fell, but always into the small boy's mouth, and never into mine. Like Tantalus with the flow and ebb of waters, I began to find the thing monotonous. If one or two cherries would only have fallen on the ground now and then, the interest would have been enlivened; but no; one, two, three, four, all came down like plummets without deviating an inch from the right course, and each laugh of the small boy (for he was merry) gave me a violent inclination to see his head punched. I don't know what spirit of evil prompted me, but some such spirit inspired me with a baleful desire to substitute for one of the falling cherries a pebble, a piece of coal, or a bit of soap. My eyes sparkled. The youth had thrown a plump bigaroon rather higher than usual, and stood with his hands extended, his head thrown back his eyes shut, and his mouth gaping until it should return. The temptation was too strong. I felt frantically around me to find a projectile, and in sweeping my hand over the window-sill caught at something which, without pausing to look, I threw with all my might and main at the small boy. The thing struck him in the eye, and then bounded on the pavement. A shout of triumph escaped me; but at the same instant I burst into a cold sweat and staggered. The boy had stooped to pick up the thing that had hit him, and was holding it in his fingers. "Thank you!" he shouted joyously, and disappeared in the distance.

I had thrown him my sixpence!—*All the Year Round.*

Rather Too Sharp.

AN enterprising business man of Hartford, Connecticut, runs two branches of trade, to wit: a grocery and a fish market. The grocery he runs himself, the fish-market by a deputy, and every night the latter makes returns of the proceeds of the day's business to the proprietor. A day or two since the grocer found in his fish market returns, a counterfeit five-dollar bill. He didn't like to lose it, and he did'nt quite want to take the chances of trying to pass it. So he called on an old darkey who was hanging about the premises, and said to him—

"Sam, here's a five-dollar bill that's a little doubtful. If you'll take it and pass it, I'll give you a dollar out of the change."

"Very well," said Sam, and he took the bill and went off. Later in the day he returned, having accomplished the feat, and handed over four dollars in good money to the grocer. That night the grocer in counting over the cash returns from his fish market, was more surprised than delighted to see the identical five in the pile.

"Look here," said he, sharply, to his market clerk, "here's a counterfeit bill who did you take it of? didn't you know it was bad?"

Clerk took it and looked at it a moment.

"O—yes," said he, "I remember now. I took it of Sam, the darkey. I thought it was a little doubtful, and wasn't going to take it, but he said he got it of you, so I thought it was all right."

Further explanation was unnecessary.

WATER has about 810 times the weight of air, take bulk for bulk.

Why Many Wives Fade.

"How many pale, lifeless women you see in the West, and in the East, too, for that matter. Young, fresh looking women marry, and in five years you scarcely recognize them, while their husbands look as fresh as on the day of the wedding.

One cause of this is complicated house keeping. When a man undertakes a business, he finds learned men ready to assist him; he knows what there is to do, and secures help accordingly. A young woman goes to house keeping very often without any help at all, or perhaps with one awkward girl.

There are three meals to get every day—that means cooking; and then comes the dishes to be washed after each meal. It would take about forty-five pieces for breakfast and supper, and seventy for dinner for a family of five, one hundred and sixty-five pieces to be carried from the dining room to the kitchen every day, and washed and carried back. If you have six rooms in your house, there is one room to be thoroughly swept and cleaned daily, besides brushing up the others, making beds, bringing in wood and carrying water.

Twice a week then is bread-making; twice a week yeast making, one day washing, one day ironing, all your pantries and safes to be washed out once a week, dairy work to attend to, besides innumerable jobs in the way of preserving, jelly making, pickeling pork, curing hams, putting down pigs feet, looking over and nipping off your apples twice in winter, and making hogshead cheese, mince-meat, a thorough house cleaning twice a year, then sewing on dresses, aprons, shirts, drawers, gowns, &c., by dozens.

Then supposing the house keeper has a baby, an average six months old baby weighs about eighteen pounds. Say she has this child in her arms forty times a day, (a cross infant is taken up much more frequently), and often she works with the right arm, while carrying the bundle of a baby about in her left. Who is it that says there is nothing in gymnastics equal to the endurance of a mother's arms. Even when the day's labor is accomplished and she goes to bed, she still holds her baby, and does not sleep soundly for fear of rolling on it or its getting uncovered; she must attend to its wants several times in the night, and must be in a constrained position for fear of disturbing it.

I have heard women say they would give anything for one night of undisturbed sleep, with no care on their mind. Then in the morning up and at it again. Don't you see why women get pale, and why they are sometimes a little cross, and why their husbands wonder that their wives don't look pretty and dress well, as they used to do?

The wives don't reason on the matter they think it is all the man's fault, and then they turn cross, and so things go at sixes and sevens, and this is the place when woman's rights should be taken hold of. I don't think voting would help that very much; woman's labor should be made a study. In the first place men must realize that it is a great labor to keep a house.

A great many women sink down under the weight, then everybody says, "poor thing, she always was a weakly good for nothing creature," and the "poor thing" has been doing more for the last ten years than three women ought to do.

WHAT SLEEP WILL CURE.—The cry for rest has always been louder than the cry for food. Not that it is more important, but it is often harder to get. The best rest comes from sound sleep. Of two men or women, otherwise equal the one who sleeps the best will be the most moral, healthy, and efficient.

Sleep will do much to cure irritability of temper, peevishness, uneasiness. It will cure insanity. It will restore to vigor an over-worked brain. It will do much to cure dyspepsia, particularly that variety known as nervous dyspepsia. It will relieve the langour and prostration felt by consumptives. It will cure hypochondria. It will cure the blues. It will cure the headache. It will cure the headache, It will cure the heartache. It will cure neuralgia. It will cure a broken spirit. It will cure sorrow. Indeed, we might make a long list of nervous maladies that sleep will cure.

The cure of sleeplessness, however, is not so easy, particularly in those who carry gr

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FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 10, 1869.

☞ THE COLUMBIAN has the Largest Circulation of any paper published in Northern Pennsylvania, and is also a much larger sheet than any of its cotemporaries; and is therefore the best medium for advertising in this section of the State.

Northumberland in Line!

At a meeting of the Standing Committee of Northumberland county held in the Court House in Sunbury September 7th 1869. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved.—THAT WE FULLY APPROVE OF THE NOMINATION OF THE HON. CHARLES R. BUCKALEW, OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, AS OUR CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE SENATE, AND WE HEARTILY COMMEND HIM TO THE DEMOCRACY OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, FOR THEIR UNDIVIDED SUPPORT.

There was a full attendance of the Committee, all the townships beng represented, with one ortwo exceptions.

The Senatorial Nomination.

IT will be seen by the proceedings of the Conference at Northumberland, published in another column, that Mr. Buckalew was duly and regularly nominated as the Democratic candidate for Senator from this district. This result will be accepted in this county as a due concession to our local claims and as a most fit and timely selection. And it is endorsed by three counties out of four of the district. The contest was prolonged, but the result was at all times secure. Our county presented to the Conference a candidate of known integrity and high ability and our claims, postponed three years ago, could no longer be ignored. The hearty endorsement of the nomination at the close of the proceedings by Mr. Jackson of Sullivan and Mr. Withington of Northumberland, who had been rival candidates, furnished conclusive evidence of success in the canvass and was a due tribute to the merit of our candidate and the justice of our claims.

Success will follow this nomination and our people will secure thereby a Senator of whom they may be proud and who will disappoint no just expectation of those who support him. Mr. Buckalew's remarks at the meeting in the Court House on Monday evening were received with great satisfaction by the entire audience and vindicated his position and the position of our county beyond all cavil or question. There will be an earnest and general support of him in this county, which will not be confined to party bounds in case the seceder's candidate is pitted against him with any prospect of a formidable vote. But we can hardly expect that so bold a pretense as that on which Mr. Chalfant's support is urged in Montour, can mislead any considerable number of the voters of the district.

The treachery of one of the Conferees from this county need not be discussed at much length because it was unavailing and fruitless. The man in question made engagements of fidelity, the violation of which stamp him with disgrace. He may be dismissed to that very general contempt which he merits while all honorable men may rejoice in the clear victory of right over wrong, of integrity over baseness, of regular and honorable action over irregular and dishonorable intrigue, and base betrayal of an important trust.

The interference with this nomination from Philadelphia and Harrisburg by the agents of corruption, is one of the noticeable features of the struggle. Those agents and their employers fear the entrance of an honest and able man into the Senate from this district, and did their best to prevent it. But their arts and efforts have failed, in the nomination, and they will be forced to confront the incorruptable and dreaded senator when their "cattle bills," and "street car bills," and "Herdic bills," and other iniquities, are presented to the Legislature hereafter. With pride and satisfaction we place the name of our Senatorial candidate in our political column and announce to all our readers the certainty of his triumphant election.

Another Triumph.

California, which threw its electoral vote for Grant, has wheeled into the Democratic column, having on Wednesday of last week elected the entire Democratic State Ticket, and a Democratic Legislature. The possession of the Legislature will defeat the ratification of the proposed Fifteenth Amendment.

And now, Democrats of Pennsylvania, arouse to action. Our brethren in Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Montana, and California have defeated the enemy, and we can do the same by a strong, united, harmonious effort. It is a question between Asa Packer and honesty on the one side, and Geary, corruption, and imbecility on the other. You are to decide whether Pennsylvanians are to control the question of suffrage within her borders or whether negroes and Chinese are to be given the ballot throgh through Congressional dictation. We *can* elect Packer, we *can* prevent negro suffrage by an earnest, hearty effort this Fall.

THE *Republican* continually prates about Mr. Buckalew's "coming down" to be a candidate for State Senator. We regard it as one of the most important positions in the State, especially at this time when the State is being robbed daily, when Treasury thieves unblushingly attempt the open purchase of men, and when our entire legislation is controlled by corrupt men.

The people of both parties demand and are entitled to be represented by the ablest, and purest men they have. The higher their standing and the greater their reputation, the better they can serve the State.

On this point the Pittsburg *Commercial*, a Radical paper, speaking of Mr. Grow, the former Speaker of the House of Representatives, who was pressed for a nomination to the Legislature, says:

We think that Mr. Grow should have consented. It is because men like him, who are fit to be legislators, decline to go to Harrisburg, that our Legislature has fallen into disrepute for its corrupt and imbecile practice. If ever its character is redeemed, it will be by men like Mr. Grow. In our judgment, in no way can they serve the people so acceptably—and what is equally true is that in no way can they so much serve themselves.

The Meeting on Monday Evening.

The Court House on Monday September 6th, presented a scene long to be remembered by all present. Our candidate for Senator and one of our Senatorial Conferees gave to our people a faithful and telling account of the late Senatorial Conference, and of all the questions involved in its proceedings. The former spoke first of the proceedings of the Conference, and showed beyond all dispute the regularity and fairness of his nomination, and the preposterous and groundless character of the imputations against it. The 203d ballot of the Conference, in particular was handled in a masterly manner. The trick, and surprise of the 5th vote then given was duly described with the prompt and honorable action of one of the Northumberland Conferees by which the fraud was defeated. The right of the Conferee to change his vote before the result was regularly announced, the fact that the Conference by a vote of six to one authorized such change, and the utter futility of the pretense that a minority could by seceding affect the action of the majority, were all strongly put and placed beyond dispute. Then followed a clear and full exhibit of the representation of Columbia and Montour in both Houses of the Legislature since the erection of the latter county in 1850, resulting in the inevitable conclusion that Montour has had her full share of representation, and has no peculiar claims upon the Senatorial nomination at this time. A recital of the events of 1866 in connection with district nominations came next, including the unselfish and earnest efforts then made in this county to sustain Mr. Chalfant's nomination for Assembly, against most formidable opposition, and the pledges then made by him and his friends to support Columbia county nomination for Senator—pledges unkept and then excused upon grounds which no longer exist. Finally came a statement of the efforts made by men at Philadelphia and Harrisburg to control the nomination, or prevent one from being made. The proceedings of their agent at Northumberland, and their objects in instituting the raid upon our district, were given in earnest and impassioned terms. The conclusion that the rascals would be well whipped was greeted with general and enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Clark, as one of the Conferees, endorsed the statements of facts which had been made and dilated upon the efforts of the legislative rings to defeat the nomination of our candidate. He also explained that his colleague in the Conference from this county was distinctly notified by him that the Northumberland Conferees were about to vote with this county, when the treacherous vote for a Montour nomination was given by him in opposition to his instruction, and his clear duty.

Upon the whole, the meeting was well calculated to fix public opinion in favor of the regular and honest nomination of the Conference, and against the secession of a minority from that Conference upon most frivolous and insufficient grounds. Mr. Buckalew said, "the voice of the majority is the voice of the whole." Never were truer words uttered when we come to apply them to the late Conference, where *three* Conferees out of *eight* undertook to defeat the will and opinions of their colleagues and prevent Yes, three counties out of four and five Conferees out of eight had the right and the power to make a good and effectual nomination; and having done so their action will be triumphantly sustained.

Columbia County.

EDITORS DAILY UNION:—Dear friends, have you ever been at Bloomsburg and seen in that picturesque place the new, majestic buildings of the State Normal School? If not then you have not seen one of the most beautiful, most promising, excellently planned, perfectly conducted educational institutions not only of Pennsylvania, but of all the States.

Standing on a hill, surrounded with blooming flowerbeds, we come first to the spacious, elegantly furnished, well lighted and well ventilated school rooms, above which, comprising the whole second story, is the chapel, one of the largest and most magnificent that I have ever seen.

In the grand fourth story building, still higher up, overtowering the chapel, are the reception, dining and sleeping rooms, rooms for teachers, private rooms and office for the principal, roomy halls, bathing rooms, water closets, etc.

The ladies inhabit one, the gentlemen the other wing of the building, with separate entrances and stairs. Beautiful kitchens; all is cooked, washed and heated by steam. An engineer is steadily employed. The most remarkable discipline reigns in school, play and study hours. The energetic—I may almost say Napoleonic—Prof. Carver, A. M., is Principal, ably seconded by such men as Isaac Best, J. W. Ferree, F. M. Bates, W. A. Williams, T. C. Brown, and a townsman of yours, Prof. E. A. Ludwig. Very excellent female teachers adorn the Institute, as Mrs. Best, Miss Beaman, Misses Carver, Miss Powell and Miss Guest. The number of scholars in different departments was, last year, nearly 400, and promises to surpass greatly this number the present school year. Bloomsburg may feel justly proud of such an educational jewel, and parents near and far may safely confide the bodies, minds and souls of their children to this institution.—*Luzerne Union.*

Now that the terrible old war-horse Geary is once more on the war-path, the New York *World* says it is well enough to revive his old story which he told, with great success, in his first fight for the Governorship of Pennsylvania, about frightening Stonewall Jackson to death. According to Geary, that soldier lay dying in his tent, and suddenly summoned General Longstreet, who he thus addressed:

"Gen. Longstreet, did you observe that tall imposing form to-day, seated on a black horse in the thickest of the fight, as we did battle." Quoth Gen. Longstreet; "I did, indeed, my dear General." "That man so valiant was Gen. Geary," exclaimed Stonewall. "Mark me, beware of him! Avoid him! * * Longstreet, beware of Geary!" * * With this dying injunction to his comrade the hero of Shenandoah departed.

This dying injunction of Stonewall Jackson, as reported by Geary, is now repeated to the voters of Pennsylvania: "Beware of Geary!"

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 8.—The National Union Republican Convention assembled here to-day. Judge Lewis Oent was unanimously nominated for Governor.

Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, Sept. 6th 1869.

Court met at 10 o'clock a. m., Present Hon. Wm. Elwell, and his Associates, Iram Derr and James Kester.

The Constables were sworn and their returns examined. The list of Grand Jurors being called, Hiram Cool was excused, and Elias Krum was absent. Jesse Hoffman was appointed Foreman. The list of Petit Jurors was then called and Samuel Long and William Wilkison were excused. Joseph Ikeler, Samuel Stetler, and M. C. Woodward were appointed tip-staves for the first week; Henry D. Knorr and Michael Walter for the second week.

Com. vs Adam Truckenmiller, Recognizance Fornication and Bastardy. The Defendant and Samuel Frederick were each held in $500 bail for the appearance of Defendant at next Sessions.

In the matter of Exceptions to the account of John F. Fowler, Administrator of R. J. Lyon, deceased, C. B. Brockway was continued as Auditor.

Com. vs Samuel T. Mather. Deft. and John S. Mather each held in $500 bail for the appearance of Deft. at next Sessions.

Hiram Brown vs Susan Brown. Service of Alias subpoena in divorce set aside and another directed to be issued.

Geo. F. Eves vs Jacob Swisher, *et al.*, rule granted to show cause why record should not be amended.

The order for the sale of the real estate of Deborah Myers was continued.

Gideon Arndt vs John U. Leiby. Amended declaration filed by leave of Court.

Com. vs. Cerus and John M. Stackhouse. Indictment conspiracy. Court gave the District Attorney leave to enter a *nolle prosequi.*

Com. vs Anthony Murphy and Anthony Finigan. Indictment Assault and Battery. Jury sworn and verdict rendered "not guilty," and Prosecutor, Peter Caslow, to pay the costs.

Monroe Brundage vs C. B. Pursel. *Fi. Fa.* set aside and judgment opened.

Com. vs Henry Alc. Indictment Nuisance. True Bill. Jury called and sworn. Verdict Guilty.

TUESDAY, Sept. 7th.

Nathan Brothers vs H. A. Weidensaul. Judgment confessed by Deft.

Com. vs J. Mottine. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Com. vs Peter Hippensteel. Indictment Nuisance. A true bill. Deft. plead Guilty.

Com. vs Anna Owen. Indictment Larceny. A true bill. Verdict not Guilty.

Com. vs John W. Clayton. A true bill.

Com. vs Elizabeth Evans. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Com. vs Patrick Kendrick. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Com. vs. Patrick and Margaret Brennan. Indictment keeping a disorderly house. A true bill.

Com. vs John L. and Thomas Thomas. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Henry Gable vs Peter Hower, *et al.* Hower permitted to come in and defend.

Com. vs John Hughes. Recognizance Fornication and Bastardy. Deft. and George Straussar each held in $500 bail for appearance of Deft. at next sessions.

Com. vs Richard Stout. Indictment malicious mischief. A true bill.

Com. vs R. F. Stout. Indictment

Com. vs Joseph Wanace. Withdrawn.

ments; one for selling liquor on Sunday, and one for selling liquor to minors. Both true bills. Cases continued.

Com. vs John W. Clayton. Second indictment for Larceny. A true bill.

Estate of C. G. Ricketts, dec'd. On motion of Mr. Brockway, J. G. Freeze appointed Auditor to file distribution.

Thos. J. Vanderslice vs Robert Howell. Judgment entered for plaintiff for $65.00.

Com. vs James Archy. Surety of the Peace. Deft. sentenced to pay the costs, and to give bail in $100 for his good behavior for one year.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 8th.

John G. Henley vs Knittle and Gable. R. F. Clark appointed examiner for both sides.

Com. vs Hiram Brown case continued until next sessions.

Com vs Peter Collohan. Indictment Assault and Battery. Bill ignored, and the Prosecutor, Thomas Monaghan, sentenced to pay the costs.

Com. vs Margaret Garrah. Indictment destrying windows. Bill ignored, and the prosecutrix, Margaret Brennan, sentenced to pay the costs.

Com. vs Margaret Garrah. Indictment Assault and Battery. Bill ignored as above.

Com. vs Patrick Gaughen. Indictment Assault and Battery. Bill ignored, and the prosecutor, John Conway, sentenced to pay the costs.

Com. vs John Conway. Indictment selling liquor without license. Bill ignored, and the prosecutrix, Ann Gallagher, sentenced to pay the costs.

Com. vs Calvin D. Hart. Indictment disturbing auction. Bill ignored, and the prosecutor, G. M. Berry, sentenced to pay the costs.

Estate of Daniel G. Ent. On motion of Mr. Freeze, C. B. Brockway appointed to make distribution.

Com. vs Patrick Killeen. Indictment misdemeanor in office. A true bill. On motion of R. F. Clark, Indictment quashed by the Court.

Com. vs Catharine Horan. Bill ignored, and prosecutor to pay the costs.

Com. vs Samuel M. Prentis. Bill ignored and prosecutor to pay the costs.

Com vs Miles H. Fry. Recog. surety of the peace; after a hearing court sentenced Deft. to pay costs of prosecution and enter with recognizance with one surety for the maintainance of good order and peace.

Com. vs Edward Campbell, Bridget Campbell, *et. al.* Indict. Riot, bill ignored. Prosecutor Patrick Gallagher to pay the costs.

Com. vs Thos. Kelly. Indictment Assault and Battery. Bill ignored. Ann M'Kieman prosecution to pay the costs.

Com. vs Edward Campbell and Mary M'Donald *et. al.* Ind. Assault and Battery with intent to kill. Bill ignored and Patrick Gallagher to pay the costs.

Com. vs Martha Wells. Indictment Nuisance. Jury sworn.

Com. vs Timothy Thomas. Bill ignored and prosecutor Marshall J. Moore to pay the costs.

Com. vs Ann Gallagher. Indictment selling liquor without license. Bill ignored and Prosecutor Edward Campbell to pay the costs.

Com. vs Catharine Horan. Indictment forceable entry. A true bill.

Com. vs Collins Sutliff. Indictment Assault with intent to kill. A true bill.

Com. vs James M'Cormick. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Com. vs Collins Sutliff. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Com. vs Wm. Thomas. Indictment Exposure of person. A true bill.

Com. vs Wm. Thomas. Indictment Affray. A true bill.

Com. vs Catharine Horan. Indictment Assault and Battery. A true bill.

Senatorial Conference.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 25, 1869.

At a meeting of the conferees of the counties composing the Fifteenth Senatorial District, at the Vankirk House, in Northumberland, present from

Columbia County—Robert F. Clark, J. S. McNinch.

Montour County—Daniel Billmeyer, G. W. Miles.

Northumberland County—M. J. D. Withington, John P. Pursel.

Sullivan County—James Deegan, Michael Meylert.

Robert F. Clark, of Columbia county, was elected chairman.

Geo. W. Miles and Michael Meylert were elected Secretaries.

Nominations being in order,

James Deegan nominated George D. Jackson, of Sullivan County.

John P. Pursel nominated William P. Withington, of Northumberland county.

Geo. W. Miles nominated Thomas Chalfant, of Montour County.

J. S. McNinch nominated Charles R. Buckalew, of Columbia County.

Moved and seconded that the nominations now close, which was carried.

It was moved and seconded that when the ballots are taken they shall commence alphabetically with the counties, and then take the names of counties next in order first, and continue in that way through all of the ballots to be taken.

It was then agreed to proceed to ballot. Six ballots were taken giving at each balloting each of the candidates two votes.

When on motion adjourned until one o'clock p. m.

After voting the 19th ballot and no nomination, on motion of Jas. Deegan seconded by Michael Meylert, that this conference do now adjourn to meet at Laporte, on the first Monday of September; decided negatively.

After the 24th ballot with no nomination, the conference took a recess of fifteen minutes. Several further adjournments and ballots having been taken; after the 145th ballot had been taken with no result,

On motion of Mr. Meylert, it was

Resolved, That after six o'clock on the morning of the 27th instant, that his colleague, James Deegan, be permitted to cast the vote of Sullivan County in this conference until Meylert return to said conference or the arrival of his substitute,

Which was adopted unanimously.

Adjourned to meet at Vankirk House, September 4th, at half-past nine o'clock a. m.

[In the night session above, Mr. Pursell, of Northumberland, being indisposed and desiring to leave, E. L. Reber was substituted in his place to act as a conferee from Northumberland county.]

SATURDAY, Sept. 4, 1869.

Conference met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Robert F. Clark, Chairman; Geo. W. Miles, Secretary; J. S. McNinch, Daniel Billmeyer, M. J. D. Withington, E. L. Reber, and James Deegan, conferees.

Mr. Meylert having been delayed, it was

Resolved, That James Deegan be permitted to cast Mr. Meylert's vote until his return, and also act as Secretary *pro. tem.*

After the 155th ballot, adjourned until half-past two p. m.

Reassembled, and after 170th ballot adjourned until half-past six o'clock p. m. Half past six o'clock, met pursuant to adjournment; Mr. Meylert having returned took his position as secretary and member of the conference.

After taking the 181st ballot, adjourned until half past seven this afternoon.

Met and voted up to and including the 200th ballot, and adjourned until half past eight.

After reassembling and on taken the 202nd ballot Mr. Withington having first voted for Thomas Chalfant, before to the conference, desired to change his vote, and on the motion to that effect being put he was granted leave, with but one dissenting vote. He then voted for Wm. P. Withington.

Having proceeded to the 206th ballot without result Mr. Miles from Montour moved to adjourn to meet at Bloomsburg on 15th September, which motion having been put was decided in the negative.

After taking the 208th ballot Mr. McNinch not participating, on his request to do so was allowed to retire for fifteen minutes, on returning Mr. McNinch having declined to vote, and having withdrawn from the conference, (the conference declining to excuse him,) it was moved that his collegue have the privilege of substituting a conferee in his place, which was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Clark then substituted David Lowenberg as conferee from Columbia county.

The conference then proceeded to take the 210th Ballot and the Montour conferees having previously withdrawn, Mr. Buckalew received the unanimous nomination of the conference by the ballots of Columbia, Northumberland and Sullivan counties, as Senatorial Candidate for the 15th Senatorial District.

The Chairman, Mr. Clark having been requested by the conference, informed Mr. Buckalew of his unanimous nomination, which being done, Mr. Buckelew thanked the conference and accepted the nomination.

Messrs Jackson and Withington being present accepted their positions of defeated candidates in a few appropriate remarks and pledged Mr. Buckalew a cordial support.

ROBERT F. CLARK,
Chairman.

MICHAEL MEYLERT,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF NOMINATION.

HON. CHARLES R. BUCKALEW,

Dear Sir:—By the unanimous action of the conferees of Columbia, Northumberland and Sullivan Counties, you are declared the Candidate of the 15th Senatorial District for the State Senate.

ROBERT F. CLARK,
Chairman.

JAMES DEEGAN,
DAVID LOWENBERG,
M. J. D. WITHINGTON,
E. L. REBER,
} Conferees.

MICHAEL MEYLERT,
Secretary.

A DESPATCH from Governor Haight conveys the gratifying intelligence that the Democratic victory in California is overwhelming, and that the Democrats have three-fourths of the Legislature. In the last Legislature the Republicans had the Senate by four majority, and the Democrats the Lower House by twenty-four majority. A Cheyenne despatch announces that the Democrats have also carried Wyoming Territory, electing their candidate to Congress. Thus the extreme West thunders in response to the Democratic victory in Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia and Montana. These are cheering auguries of the more important triumphs to come.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6.

ATHLETICS DEFEAT THE HAYMAKERS.

One of the best contested games of base ball ever played in this city took place here this afternoon, between the Haymakers, of Lansingburg, and the Athletics, of this city. The Haymakers kept the lead up to the last inning, when the Athletics made six runs and sent the Haymakers to the bat, with four runs to overcome. The Haymakers made but three, however, and consequently were defeated by a score of 18 to 17. The game was witnessed by over 10,000 people.

AWFUL DISASTER!

AVONDALE COAL BREAKER BURNED.

TWO HUNDRED AND TWO MEN IMPRISONED IN THE MINE.

FIRE FINALLY SUBDUED.

MINE FULL OF CHOKE-DAMP.

TWO MEN KILLED IN TRYING TO ENTER.

PLYMOUTH PA. Sept. 7.

Yesterday morning about ten o'clock, fire broke out in the Avondale Colliery, (Steuben Coal Co.,) leased by the D. L. & W. R. R. Company, and situated a mile below Plymouth. It was first seen by those outside, when up at the head of the cracker, or stack, to which point it had run from the foot of the shaft, 237 feet from the surface.

The best authorities decide that the fire must have been communicated from the ventilating furnace, fire having been kindled with wood yesterday morning. Considerable heat had been noticed near the hoisting apparatus, so much so that the engineer could not oil the shieves.

The fire burned so rapidly that the engineer, Mr. Alex. Weir, was driven from the engine soon after, having had time merely to blow the whistle and fix things secure, so that there would be no danger of explosion. As the fire passed up the shaft and into the breaker, it rushed into the engine room as stated, the engineer not having time even to secure his hat. In an almost incredibly short space of time the entire works were one mass of flames extending up the breaker, which is situated on the side hill, fifty or sixty feet higher than the Bloomsburg RR. track and running down the cracker and picker rooms and chutes, to the treak.

The fire when thus in full progress, was grand beyond description. Imagine a plane of fire running up one hundred feet at an angle of thirty-three degrees and then almost perpendicularly into the air another hundred feet, while dense clouds of smoke enveloped all surrounding objects, and a faint idea will be had of this magnificent spectacle.

Before proceeding further, it will be necessary to say that while this was the scene above ground, TWO HUNDRED AND TWO human beings, miners and other laborers, were in the bowels of the earth beneath this mass of fire, to all intents and purposes buried alive, and with the faintest of all prospects of ever getting out alive—and the scene above will be better appreciated.

Surrounding the fire on every side, were hundreds of men, women and, children, the female portion of whom were making the air resound with their frantic cries of distress. Wives were wringing their hands and wailing "Oh! my Jimmy!" "God have mercy!" "Who'll take care of my children?" and using every form of expression of endearment and of woe. Mothers were crying out for their sons, as only mothers can cry, and feeling only as mothers do. No persuasion, entreaty, advice, or consolation, served to quiet them. This continued for at least an hour, when they became quieter as they saw efforts making to extinguish the flames, and the rest of the day the outbreaks were less frequent, although it was heart rending to see individual cases of overmastering grief, which were exhibited among the cabins of the miners.

THE MINERS' HOUSES.

During the early progress of the fire, great fears were entertained that all the miners' houses, which are situated on the side hill, both ways from the fire, would be consumed. The heat was intense, but providentially the wind blew up the hill directly in the line of the fire, burning only the forest trees, which blazed away like writhing fiends. The women however, removed all their household goods from their tenements, and in this way for a time forgot their grief.

As soon as the fire began to be visible neighboring collieries, men began to flock toward the burning breaker. Superintendent Lee worked with all his might, his first care being to remove the blasting powder from immediate proximity to the fire, to a place of safety. He also telegraphed to Scranton, Kingston, and Wilkes-Barre, for fire engines. Superintendent Phillips assisted in the work of organization. They mustered a bucket company, and formed a line from the tank about fifty rods distant, and thus poured water on the most exposed places.

The first fire apparatus to arrive was the hand engine Luzerne, from Kingston, accompanied by a full complement of men. This engine was hauled up the hill to within a few feet of the cracker, and was at first fed with buckets from the tanks and subsequently from several wagons which continually hauled casks of water to the spot. These were kept running all the afternoon.

Soon the Good Will hand engine, from Wilkes-Barre, arrived at the scene on a platform car. This did not get to work for some time owing to want of water. This engine for a time supplied Nay-Aug steamer from Scranton, with water, but it was found insufficient—when it stretched its hose to the fire and worked well in the process of subduing the flames.

Nay-Aug steamer arrived on the ground about one o'clock. As soon as possible after its arrival, it was disembarked. With it went down 400 feet of hose. As much of this as was needed was run up the bank to the stone wall (30 feet high), and was hauled to its top, and stretched to the mouth of the shaft, which was encumbered with burning timbers and all manner of debris. Water was first obtained from Good Will, of Wilkes-Barre, and played into the mouth of the shaft, but when this supply was found insufficient, the engine was let down the bank below the railroad, where, in a swail, is a stream of water, usually copious, but then very scanty. A cask was here sunk, and from that time she took suction from that spot.

OPENING OF THE TUNNEL.

At the foot of the thirty feet wall is the mouth of a tunnel which runs through the coal to the shaft, tapping the latter fifty or sixty feet from the surface. The mouth of this tunnel had been chocked up with coal, falling timbers, and other debris, and after the fire in its vicinity had been put out, men were set to work to open it. This was effected shortly after four o'clock. At 4-20, Nay-Aug's hose was let down the bank and carried into the tunnel, the far end of which was a mass of blazing ruins. It was not a long time before the hose was advanced to the shaft opening, when the boys were able to turn their powerful stream into it. By five o'clock the fire was so far extinguished that men above could commence clearing away the rubbish at the top of the shaft.

THE DERRICK.

While all these other efforts had been making, a force was engaged in rigging a "horse power," with which to work a derrick over the shaft. They had about 600 feet of rope and all other necessary appurtenances ready by the time the derrick was completed and raised.

At ten minutes to six o'clock, everything being ready, a dog, enclosed in a box with a slat top, was let down the shaft together with a lighted lamp, for the purpose of ascertaining if it was safe for a man to go down the shaft. If the dog came up alive, it would be proof that the air was not to hot and too foul for breath. He was let down as far as the box would go for the obstructions in the pit, when, at six o'clock, the box was hauled up, the dog was found alive, and the first sentiment of relief was experienced since the fire commenced.

While the dog was down the shaft, quiet was requested, and a number of men who were at the mouth of the tunnel, hallooed down the shaft in the hope that an answering sound would be heard from the imprisoned men. Many in the tunnel and above ground thought they heard answer, "All right," and immediately, cheer after cheer went up from the assembled multitude.

After the dog was hauled up, efforts were made to call to those below, but there was so much confusion around the mouth of the shaft, so many people being gathered there, and all being so anxious to see what was going on that it was impossible. A policeman, and others made every effort to get the people back, but all to no purpose. It was finally thought advisable to turn a stream of water upon the crowd to drive it away. This was accordingly done with Good Will's hose.

When quiet was again restored, another loud call was made. Breathless silence was observed by the vast concourse, numbering thousands, but no answering voice was heard, and hope died away.

Preparations were at the same time making to send a man down to reconnoitre. A volunteer was called for.

Mr. Charles Vartue, of the Grand Tunnel colliery, immediately signified his intention of making the attempt to reach his perhaps dying and mayhap dead fellow-miners, This noble-hearted man, who is about thirty-five years of age, taking his life in his hand, hooked on his lamp, and stepped forth to the sacrifice, if such his descent should prove A bucket was rigged, and he stepped into it, provided with a lantern, a bucket of coffee, a wet towel, and a signal rope, by which to give notice when he wished to ascend.

6:30 P. M.—The descent commences. After going down a few feet it was found necessary to change the programme a little. He was hauled up again, and his lantern fastened to the signal rope, and it was then let down simultaneously with Mr. Vartue's second attempt (which commenced at 6:34,) and within his reach.

6:41 P. M.—Signal from Vartue to be drawn up. In three minutes he reaches the top of the shaft.

Mr. V. reports, that about half-way down the shaft he found obstructions which prevented his further descent. A pump was lodged there, upon which rested a stick of timber and other obstructions, and although there was an opening large enough to go through, he feared to go down, supposing that if he did, the debris would fall upon him. The brattice work around the shaft was not much burned. He reported the air perfectly good and not much heated, but that two men would have to go down, as they could work together to good advantage.

It was thought best to send down fresh men, and accordingly Charles Jones, of Plymouth, and Stephen Evans of Nottingham shaft, volunteered.

6:53 P. M.—The two men were provided with a hook and a hatchet, and some other contrivances, and started down. They gave signals to stop, two or three times and were apparently engaged in clearing away obstructions.

7:02 P. M.—Signal to slack off. They were then seen from above to be at the bottom, and to get out from the bucket A season of suspence followed.

7:08 P. M.—A smothered sound is heard, as of heavy pounding some distance from the bottom of the shaft, and it was supposed above that it was upon brattice work built to close up the gangway by the buried men, and thus prevent the entrance of fire and smoke.

7:12 P. M—Signal to come up.

7:15 P. M—The men emerge from the mouth of the shaft.

As soon as Jones and Evans got breath they reported that they went 70 or 80 yards into a gang way, finding three dead mules as they progressed. They finally came to a closed door, upon which they pounded, waiting breathlessly for an answering sound from the unfortunate men. But alas! alas!! no sound came, and they felt compelled to return, first having noticed that a cloud of sulphur was pouring out through the crevices in the wood-work of the door. They did not attempt to break down the door, fearing that the sulphur would overpower them in their partially exhausted condition. They discovered another gang-way running in another direction, into which the fresh air appeared to be rushing. Jones desired to enter this but Evans refused, and the latter did not deem it prudent to explore it alone.

This colliery has been running less than two years. The cracker and other buildings were finished in the year 1867 They were built under the supervision of Mr. S. D. Kingsley, and cost $150,000. The Dickson Manufacturing Company put in the machinery. The loss is estimated at $80,000.

AVONDALE'S CAPACITY.

These works were ranked among the largest and best in the Wyoming Valley. At the time of the fire about 450 tons of coal were daily hoisted from the shaft, although that was by no means its full capacity. During suspension times these works were idle, and had only commenced work on the 24 inst.

Plymouth turned out almost en masse to see the fire. Four or five thousand people must have been on the ground when the last Scranton-bound train passed Plymouth, and the cries of the women had again commenced, on account of the unfavorable news brought up by Jones and Evans.

Late in the afternoon Mr. Storrs started for Scranton to get a relay of experienced miners, who were, it was said to be employed in the adjoining mine to endeavor to open a passage to Avondale, which was variously estimated at from twenty to fifty feet distant through the solid rock.

These men went down on the regular train at 7½ o'clock with Mr. Storrs, and forty or fifty men beside the passengers—also 200 feet of hose.

It was reported during the afternoon (said to be on the authority of Mr. Weir the engineer at Avondale,) that when the fire broke out he was letting into the shaft Mr. Steel, stable boss, with a lot of straw, and that he was no more than half way down and must consequently have been killed. He has a family of six or seven young girls. We could get no further particulars in relation to Mr. Steel's fate.

AVONDALE SHAFT, 12 o'clock midnight.—Since Chase left I learn that several parties went down and two were suffocated—Thomas W. Williams, of Plymouth, and David Jones, of Grand Tunnel. After going down once or twice, Williams's dead body was brought out by David H. Davis and Benj. Jones. Thos. L. Williams went down and dragged David Jones some distance to the shaft, then came up. John W. and Isaac Thomas then went down and brought his dead body up. All who attempted to go down are now out.

No other attempt will be made to go down until a small engine and fan are placed at the top of the shaft, a canvass hose run down, &c., so that air can be forced down.

All who have been down say it is very hot. The door is closed and loud calls have been made, but no answer.

The only hope for the men in the mines is their having shut themselves out entirely from the draft.

The engine and fan will be ready by five o'clock.

9 O'CLOCK.—The most experienced men all agree that every person in the mine has perished. Preparations are hastening to force air down the shaft, and a descent will be made within an hour.

10.20.—Thomas Carson, Superintendent of Hampton mines, and John P. Davis, Carpenter at Avondale, are making the first descent of the Shaft.

They proceed only one hundred feet and lower three lamps, which burn freely. Obstructions prevent the lamps reaching the bottom within fifteen feet.

10.45.—Carson and Davis remain in their position, reconnoitering the Shaft. The lamps still burn. The fan continues to force down air.

11.00—The two men have ascended and the Miners' Committee are getting ready to go down. They will take axes, saws, &c., to clear the passage.

11.15.—George T. Morgan, of Nanticoke, John Powell, of Taylorville, Thos. Davis, of Bellevue, and Thos. E. Davis, of Nanticoke, a Committee of Miners, begin to descend the Shaft. They proceed slowly and with care.

11.35.—The men ascend to the mouth of the shaft. They report that after leaving the platform on which they went down, they proceeded about thirty feet into the gangway, and finding a great deal of carbonic acid gas (black damp) retreated, after conveying the end of the large canvas air conveyor as far into the mine as they went. The damp was between two and three feet thick on the bottom of the mine.

11.55.—Rees Evans, Thomas Carson, Charles Jones, and Isaac Thomas, another Miners' Committee, now begin to descend the shaft.

12.30.—The second lot of men returned safely, as had the first. They penetrated the gangway seventy-five feet in distance, and found the large door wide open. They then went a hundred feet further in one of the tricutary gangways, and found a small door closed. After opening this to give circulation of air around to the entrance, they returned.

Had this small door been found open, there might have been a shadow of hope, as the gases and smoke and fire would have had free passage around the circuit and out again. As it is, the fears are that the smoke has penetrated the inner mines and suffocated all the men. The main doorway leading to the mines has not yet been reached.

12.45.—The third set of men, four in number, went down and came back in fifteen minutes, two of them so overcome with the effects of the gas that they are being restored with great difficulty.

The gas is coming out of the outer mine very fast since the passage way was opened.

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1.00.—The two men are not yet revived. Doctors Throop and Everhart, of Scranton, and Wilson, of Plymouth, are in attendance. The wildest excitement prevails, and the mass of people are kept back with great difficulty.

1.30.—The two miners are saved at last. It seems idle to peril life by any further attempts to go down as long as the gas is so strong.

No attempt can of course be made to reach the main door or penetrate the mine until the outer gangway is cleared of gas.

3.15.—Before sending down any more men, the precaution was taken to lower lighted lamps into the pit. Finding that they burned freely at the bottom, at three o'clock four men descended the shaft. After ten minutes absence they returned in good condition, and report the atmosphere much purer.

Another set will follow within half an hour, and it is hoped that explorations can be soon pushed deeper into the mine, and that developments of interest will follow.

3.30.—Another relay of four men next went down the shaft. They proceeded along the gangway, through the first door, and about seventy-five feet further, when they opened a door leading to the furnace. It was found to be full of burning coal, and that the fire had communicated with a heap of coal near by, which was also a blazing mass. One of the party becoming overcome with the gas, the rest retired quickly, and barely reached the platform in time to succor three of the number. On reaching the mouth of the shaft one of them was carried out bodily by four men, and the two others assisted out to the open air, where they were resuscitated with great difficulty.

4.00.—A consultation was now held and sad and serious were the deliberations. All efforts, so far, to relieve the men or get at them to-day have been worse than fruitless. The air has been forced into the mine all day through the gangway, in which stands the furnace. It had been understood since last night that the coal in this furnace had been drawn out and extinguished upon the first alarm of fire. Such was the report of those who first entered the mine Monday night. It now seems not, and that the volume of air sent into the mine has swept over the burning furnace and caried all the gases and smoke therecrefrom into the inner recesses of the mine. This alone, continued as it has been all day, would be enough to have caused the death of every inmate of the mine, even if any had been fortunate enough to have been alive this morning.

5:00—Hose is being let down the shaft as the fire must be extinguished before any further progress can be made.

7:40—At 6:30, four men, went down after letting down water hose to the end of the air pipe and over the furnace to put water on and deaden the fire in the furnace. They returned in fifteen minutes, saying that the water hose was tangled in the Shaft so that they could only partly arrange it, and they could not find the hole by which they expected to enter.

At 7.10 another relay of four men—went down. They returned in about twenty minutes, reporting that they had been at the furnace and found everything all right except the fire in the furnace, which was still burning. They could not arrange the water hose until it was hoisted up a little. They were not seriously affected by the foul air.

8.30—At 7:50, John Price, Evan Morris, Wm. M. Thomas, and Elijah Thomas went down, making Morris's second trip for the purpose of arranging the hose. They were down twenty minutes, and Evan Morris was brought out insensible, falling before he reached the carriage, this second trip proving more than he could stand. He was resuscitated in a short time. The others were all right. They succeeded in getting the hose ready to haul up.

11 P.M

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SBURG, FRIDAY, SEPT. 10, 1869.

neeting in the Court House on Monning, was presided over by Hon. John olds.

oad between Rupert and Catawissa a materially improved since we called n to the subject.

TON FESSENDEN, of Maine, died at d, on last Wednesday morning. He able, fearless statesman.

Baptist Church of this place have ine Rev. Mr. Meech, now located at Shore, to become their pastor.

n want news, family reading or a reDemocratic newspaper, subscribe for UMBIAN. Not only that, get your r to take it.

OMPROMISE has been effected in Lucounty between the operators and the Work has been fully resumed, and ult should be a decrease in the price

give the most of our paper this week ccount of a terrible mine disaster at th. We are sure that our readers l under obligations to us for giving so account.

friend Thomas Geraghty, has placed r renewed obligations by sending us ten new subscribers from Centralia. nds there have begun the campaign st.

E BOARDS.—The Supervisors of Orownship deserve credit for having d with the law in placing guide boards forks of the different roads in that ip. Let others take pattern.

pressure upon our columns of the port and matter relating to the Seuomination, has induced us to defer lar number of the Columbia County n until next week.

E is a very large amount of crimina this court, and the most of it is of a aracter. People will not lose their for law until they are muleted in eral times.

ust protest against the innumerable and affixes to the names of persons, ed in America. "Honorable," e," and endless military titles cover ocument. A piece of poetry which this week hits "E-s-q." hard.

ONAL.—The *Democratic Guard*, re published at Sunbury, by Reimen Brandon, will hereafter be publishilton, in the same county. This will a want which has been long needed democracy of the upper end of old berland.

FORTNER has been appointed Depuue Collector for this County, we are d. The Radical "Ring" here made opposition, but failed. In considerathis generous amount of patronage, sa should double her usual majority. rill Bradley speak there?

k of it, laboring men! Five years e close of the war, the premium on 1.36. The greenbacks in which you l are worth but seventy cents on the and in addition you must bear the of taxation to help pay the bond holdo receive double for an investment osts them no labor.

BURNED.—On Monday evening, barn of John U. Leiby in Catawissa p was burned down. The light of the as seen here. It is supposed that it on fire by some person who passed oad of lime. The loss is quite heavy Leiby, about $3,000 as the barn was th his crops. Insurance $1200.

AT F. CLARK, in his speech in the House last Monday night, in one sentence paid Mr. Bucknlew the possible compliment. Said he, "Mr. w has been in public life for over a of a century, and the highest proof of his integrity is the fact that *the ls of both parties are trying to defeat*

IFF'S SALES.—On Saturday last Millard sold the Swisher Tannery to Fall & Young for $1021, and the sisting of 78 acres to the same par-7,00 per acre.

onday he sold a house and lot in longing to Silas D. Edgar to Wm. r $200; and the farm of Benjamin George Gilbert and I. W. McKelvy).

D TO NATURALIZATION.—The Vigmmitees of last year hold their pontil new ones are appointed. They t once send here to be naturalized ns who are entitled to it. Court neet again previous to the election, st be attended to *at once*. We will ach Democratic Foreigner, entitled alization, receives his papers free of mself. Our friends in Centralia and am, especially, should be on the

own has been visited during the past agents from Danville to spy out the situation, and excite discontent, if among the Democracy. But the as to reach the people. The Cowas for the "whole ticket," and be touched. The *Republican* was d, (we presume out of that fund of t to Northumberland by the Radi-Committee to defeat Mr. Buckalew, *ll* probably was not paid to *one* conl now is doing all in its power for g candidate.

TWITHSTANDING the exciting and earnt for nominations in our county this Convention was harmonious, and ed candidates are entitling themfuture support by their activity in the interests of the party. The Convention on the contrary was ended, and some of the old stagers n disgust at the manipulation of Whitmoyer, & Co. The *Republi*h published two days before the N, had not time to give an account lt in their Convention! All agree sport was a faithful one.

will be four separate tickets or slips d at the coming October election. headed "Judiciary," for Judge of Court; one headed "State" for one headed "County" for Senatentative and all county officers, aded "Township" (or "Borough," may be,) for Justice of the Peace, Election, Supervisors, etc. Our the different boroughs and townbetter arrange to have their tickets ip or borough officers printed, the e other ticket.

WHEN the Montour County candidate for Senator bolted from the convention, he counted upon the support of certain Democrats in this county. In this, we are glad to announce, he will be mistaken. We have to meet a single Democrat who will vote against Mr. Buckalew, the regular nominee, and many prominent Republicans who respect his ability and know his honesty, will support him.

TO THOSE acquainted with the character of the sheet, the misstatements of the *Republican* respecting the Senatorial nomination, will pass unheeded. The object of that paper is to strengthen its own party by the division of ours. The report of the Senatorial conference is grossly untrue. The true, *official* account, signed by the officers, is given in another column. It will be seen that Mr. Buckalew received the votes of Northumberland, Columbia and Sullivan counties.

TEMPERATURE OF AUGUST 1869 AT BLOOMSBURG.—Observed at sunrise.—Maximum 74°, the 21th; Average 61°; Minimum 47°, the 8th.

This month was a pretty warm month: on the 28th the thermometer stood at 111° at 3 P. M., 13° above blood heat.

Hardford prolific grapes good to eat the 30th; Delaware grapes good the last; Baldwin apples good for stewing the four last days of the month. The Baldwin being a long keeping winter apple, seems then a desirable profitable apple, as families can use it fresh as long as four, five or six months. Besides it is large, smooth, handsome, well flavored and productive.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 8.—The Allentown Iron Works were burned yesterday; loss $300,000. One thousand men have been thrown out of employment. The works paid out $150,000 in wages every month.

Local Notices.

BUY your stoves at Smith Bros., Orangeville Pa. *

AUCTION.—H. F. Everett will hold an auction at his store, in Benton, on the 18th of September, of cloths, caps, gloves, and notions. We would desire our friends to attend. *

BUY your Tinware at Smith Bros', Orangeville Pa. *

WHAT's the use of saying Catarrh cannot be cured when Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is so sure and positively certain that the proprietor offers $500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure. A full pint of the medicine is made by dissolving one fifty cent package of the powder in water. Sold by druggists, or send Sixty Cents to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a package by mail. *

BUY your stove pipe at Smith Brothers', Orangeville, Pa. *

TAKE NOTICE.—That all fees due for Recording, &c. must be paid BEFORE THE FIRST OF DECEMBER, at which time the term expires. J. G. FREEZE,
4t Recorder.

GOODS sold as cheap as can be bought elsewhere at Smith Bros', Orangeville, Pa. *

COLD WEATHER is coming on; prepare for it. R. S. Ent of Light Street has all the very best stoves in the market. The Morning Glory and Gold Medal Cook Stoves especially cannot be excelled. Call and see him. 2t

Bloomsburg Market Report.

Wheat per bushel	$1.25 1.40
Rye "	1 25
Corn "	1 00
Oats "	50
Flour per barrel	8 50
Cloverseed	8 00
Flaxseed	2 00
Butter	40
Eggs	25
Tallow	12
Potatoes	50
Dried Apples	2 50
Hams	25
Sides and Shoulders	20
Lard per pound	25
Hay per ton	12 00

LUMBER.

Hemlock Boards per thousand feet	$16 00
Pine " " (one inch)	18 00
Joist, Scantling, Plank, (Hemlock)	15 00
Shingles, No. 1 per thousand	3 00
" " 2 "	2 00
Siding " " ft.	18 00

IRON—

No. 1 Scotch pig	$42
No. 2 " "	36
Bloom	39

Receipts of "THE COLUMBIAN" for Aug. 1869.

Columbia co	$66 00	S D Rinard	4 00
R W Davis	2 00	Mayberry Hughes	5 35
S W M'Henry	3 00	D Werkheiser	25
Solomon Helwig	8 00	Henry Miller	1 00
H J Reeder	3 40	Blanks	15
M B Prescott	3 40	A H Wolf	4 40
Isaac Ikeler	2 00	Wm Keeler	1 00
John Lockard	4 00	D C Albertson	2 00
J J Geiser	1 50	Est Geo Breisch	8 00
W H Decker	2 00	Miller & Wolf	2 51
John Allen	2 75	Globe Mutual Life	
J B Casey	2 00	Insurance Co.	11 40
R Kile	1 00	Geo Foelker	3 00
J M Hower	10 00	J D Quick	25
M C Keller	67	Peaslee & Co.	40 00
Frank Christman	1 00	S M Pettengill & Co	20 80
Wm Sterner,	2 00	Bloomsburg Base	
R Johnson	2 00	Ball Club	8 50
Columbia Co	15 75	B. F Edgar	3 75
Henry Doak	2 00	J G Freeze	17 00
James Bryson	2 00	Wm M Henry	2 00
Andrew Laubach	2 00	Clark Haines	2 00
David Shafer	2 00	Wm Honbon	1 00
Levi Cox	2 00	Wm Riehe	1 00
Wm Beers	2 00	Andrew Croll	2 00
M Millard	15 00	Wm Yost	2 00
A S Knittle	2 00	Philip Wilson	2 00
Adam Gable	2 00	Mrs. Samuel Blue	2 50
J S M'Ninch	5 00	Morgan Sanquet	5 00
Silas M'Henry	4 00	Jacob Candy	1 00
Thomas B Cole	2 00	R S Ent	1 00
J M Titman	1 50	S D Loreman	2 00
Thomas Rellas	10 00	W Abbott	2 00
Wm Forsyth	1 00	Daniel Shuler	2 00
Peter Brugler	2 00	S M Pettingill & Co	3 75
M A Ammerman	3 88	Riverside R R Club	8 18
Frank Keller	1 00	Mary Christman	2 00

List of Letters Remaining in the Post Office Sept. 1st, 1869.

NAMES.	NAMES.
Ale James,	Hulmes, Wm
Adams, J B	Hatter, Dr.
Allen, George	Jacoby Geo (2)
Batten, Mrs H	Jones, Josiah
Blain, Edgar W	Kensey, Miss A R
Bachman, S C	Kline, H
Brandt, Himan Carl	Kuck, Charles
Breckbill, Michael	Larirh, Amanda
Bonaurtz, Jacob	Long, M P
Butler, Alban	Melick, Maria Susan
Butler, Alban B	Melick, J
Claywell, Mrs Jer.	Michael, Lydia
Clark, F	Miller, Evan
Davis, Francis F	Moor, Mary
DeForest, Charles	Noel, Tiby
Depoe, Susannah	Onaleran, Patrick
Dellhas, E	Oliver, Rachel
Donegan, James	Piper, Sarah
Depoe, Margaret M	Pollock, Nathan
Dodge, S	Rudy, Daniel
Evans, James A	Seigfried, Thomas
Evans, Sarah E	Stein, Hiram
Fellbush, John	Schweppenheiser, J K
Fox, Margaret	Smith, Mrs M B
Fowler, Ida	Snel, Jane
Gabert, Wm	Wellver, Maria
Geign, Wm	Weiler, John H
Gutton, Allie	Welsh, Joseph
Geiger, Wm	Wittenright, Perry
Gordon, Thos B	Weiss, E P
Gordon, Ellis F	Wolf, Stephen

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

D. A. BECKLEY, P. M.
BLOOMSBURG, Sept. 1, 1869.

MARRIAGES.

PHILLIPS—POST—Aug. 31, at the house of the bride's father, by Rev. P. F. Eyer, Mr. H. H. Phillips of Tunkhannock, Wyoming Co. Pa., and Miss Sallie A. Post, of Shickshinny Luzerne Co. Pa.

DEATHS.

HARTMAN—In Benton on Saturday Sept. 4th 1869 Mrs. Catherine Hartman aged 62 years 11 months and 5 days.

M'KIERNAN—in Conyngham township, on the 26th ult, Daniel T. M'Kiernan, Esq., in the 66th year of his age.
"*Requiescat in Pace.*"

DEMOTT—John Demott, at Madison township, Columbia County, aged 45 years & 12 days, of liver disease.

POWELL—In Dunmore, on the 2nd inst., Maggie, daughter of A. B. and Ann Powell, aged about 5 years.

POWELL—In Dunmore, on the 5th inst., James, son of A. B. and Ann Powell, aged 1 year and 7 months.

MORRIS—Near Numedia, 12th inst., Mrs. Hannah Morris, aged 60 years, 11 months and 9 days,

POLITICAL.

NOTICE.

The Democratic Standing Committee of Columbia county are requested to meet at the office of the undersigned, on Saturday, Sept. 11th 1869, at one o'clock P. M. for the transaction of important business connected with the campaign.

C. B. BROCKWAY, Chairman.
Aug. 27,'69-3t.

FOR GOVERNOR:
ASA PACKER,
OF CARBON COUNTY.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT:
CYRUS L. PERSHING,
OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

FOR STATE SENATE.
CHARLES R. BUCKALEW,
OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
GEORGE SCOTT,
OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.
CHARLES F. MANN,
BEAVER TOWNSHIP.

FOR PROTHONOTARY,
WELLINGTON H. ENT,
SCOTT TOWNSHIP.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
WILLIAMSON H. JACOBY,
BLOOM TOWNSHIP,

FOR TREASURER.
DAVID LOWENBERG,
BLOOM TOWNSHIP,

FOR COMMISSIONER,
CYRUS ROBBINS,
FISHINGCREEK TOWNSHIP.

FOR AUDITOR,
U. J. CAMPBELL,
MAIN TOWNSHIP.

FOR CORONER,
CHARLES G. MURPHY,
CONYNGHAM TOWNSHIP.

Light Street Markets.

Corrected weekly by Peter Ent, wholesale and retail dealer in grain, flour & feed and general merchandize.

Wheat per bushel	$1 40
Rye "	1 30
Corn "	1 10
Buck Wheat "	1 00
Oats "	50
Wheat Flour per 100 lbs	4 25
Buck Wheat Flour	4 25
Corn and Oats Chop,	2 40
Bran, "	1 70
Butter per lb	40
Eggs per doz.,	18
Potatoes pr bus	75
Dried Apples "	2 00
Smoked Side meat pr lb	18
" Shoulder "	18
" Ham "	22
Lard " lb	22

Philadelphia Markets.

FLOUR—	
Northwestern superfine at	$5.25@ 5.50
Northwestern extra	5.50@ 5.75
Northwestern family	6.50@ 6.75
Pennsylvania and Western superfine	5.00@5.50
Pennsylvania and Western extra	5.75@ 6.75
Pennsylvania and Western family	9.50@11.00
Pennsylvania and Western fancy	11.50@13.25
Rye Flour	$6.25
WHEAT—Pennsylvania red, ₩ bus.	$1.69@1.70
Southern " "	$2.00@2.75
California "	$3.20
" white "	$3.15@3.10
RYE—Pennsylvania rye, ₩ bus	$1.40@$1.45
CORN—Yellow, "	$1.50
White, "	$1.17@$1.17
OATS—Mixed "	62@65c
PROVISIONS—Mess Pork, ₩ bbl	$31.50
Mess Beef, "	$24.50
Dressed Hogs, ₩ lb	8½@9c
Smoked Hams "	17@19c
" Shoulders ₩ lb	13c
Lard, ₩ lb	17c@20½c
SEEDS—Cloverseed ₩ bus	$9.00@9.50
Timothyseed ₩ "	$4.75
Flaxseed "	$2.55
CATTLE—Beef Cattle ₩ lb	9c@11½c
Cows, & head	$35@$50
SHEEP—₩ lb	6@7c
HOGS—₩ 100 lbs	$14@$14.50

NEEDHAM

Church, School and Parlor Organs and Melodeons of every description, at reduced prices. Send for a copy of the last edition of the

"SILVER TONGUE,"

which will be mailed free to any address upon application to the oldest manufacturers of Reed Organs and Melodeons in America.

MASON & NEEDHAM & SON,
143, 145 & 147 East 23rd Street New York.
Aug.13,'69-3m.

FLOUR AND FEED.

The undersigned thankful for past patronage begs to announce to his friends and to the public that his

NEW MILL

is now in complete running order, and that he is prepared to do all kinds of Milling without delay Parties from a distance can have their grists ground without delay, so as to take them home the same day, and all his work brought to the mill can be done in twenty-four hours. My present arrangements are such as to preclude the necessity of stopping the mill on account of Ice, high or low water.

THE BEST FAMILY FLOUR.

as well as the lower grades, and all kinds o

CHOP AND FEED

kept on hand in quantity, and for sale at the lowest current rates. Grain of all kinds purchased.

Light Street, Dec. 4,'68-tf. PETER ENT.

MAMMOTH GROCERY.

J. H. MAIZE.

MAIN AND IRON STREET, BLOOMSBURG PA,

The Largest and Best Stock of Groceries and Provisions in the County.

A splendid lot of Hams, Side-meat and Shoulders, Teas Coffees and Spices. Foreign and Domestic Fruits a specialty. A large lot of

FRUIT JARS

on hand of the best patterns.

GOODS DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE TOWN

June 18,'69-tf

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY
OF
DRESS GOODS,
AT THE NEW
STORE, BROWER'S BUILDING,

The splendid rooms of J. J. BROWER, are completed and now open to the public with the
FINEST STOCK
ever offered in Bloomsburg. All the
NEWEST STYLES
of Dress Goods, Silks, Cloths, Cassimers, Linens, Flannels &c,
CARPETS
of every style and for all prices. Oil Cloths in great variety.

A full line of
SUPERIOR GROCERIES.
Coffees, Teas, Sugars, Spices,
warranted pure and good.

GLASS AND QUEENSWARE,
in carefully assorted variety.

GLOVES, HOSIERY,
HOOP SKIRTS, CORSETS AND A COMPLETE assortment of
WHITE GOODS,

The public are earnestly invited to examine these fine goods, before purchasing elsewhere and are guaranteed satisfaction. No expense or trouble has been spared to make
THE MOST COMPLETE
establishment in this section of the State.

J. J. BROWER.
May 7,'69-tf Bloomsburg Pa.

MERCHANDISE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

To my friends and the public generally, that all kinds of
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE,
NOTIONS, &C.,
are constantly on hand and for sale
AT BARTON'S OLD STAND
BLOOMSBURG, BY
JAMES K. EYER.

☞Also, Sole Agent for ELLIS' PHOSPHATE OF LIME. Large lot constantly on hand. [feb6'67.

MERCHANDISE

MISS LIZZIE BARKLEY

has just returned from Philadelphia, and has bought, and is now offering the best assortment of

FANCY GOODS,
TRIMMINGS,
BONNETS &c. &c.,

ever exhibited in Bloomsburg, and is prepared to make up dresses and all other articles of female wardrobe, at short notice, and in the best and

LATEST SPRING STYLES.

Rooms in the Ramsey Buildings, on West Main Street. Call and see her varied stock of Spring Goods.
May 1,'68.

September and Oct. Prices

AT

I. W. HARTMAN'S,

FOR SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

25 ct.	LAWNS AT	22 cts.
45 ct.	LAWNS AT	40 cts.
55 ct.	LAWNS AT	50 cts.
$1,25	DRESS GOODS AT	$1,10
$1,00	DRESS GOODS AT	90 cts.
55 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	48 cts.
40 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	35 cts.
35 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	30 cts.
25 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	22 cts.
20 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	18 cts.

TERMS CASH OR PRODUCE.

1869. **September.** 1869.

IF YOU WANT GOOD
BLACK SILK FOR DRESS OR SACK
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT GOOD
BLACK AND COLORED ALPACA CHEAP
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT A NICE
SET TEA WARE CHEAP
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT A NICE
FAN FROM 15 cts. TO $1.25
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT A NICE
LUSTER LAWN OR MOHAIR DRESS CHEAP,
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT A NICE
AND GOOD PAIR OF GAITERS
CHEAPER THAN ANY
OTHER PLACE
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

July 16,'69-tf.

NOTICE.

The undersigned would respectfully notify all person's indebted to him on book account, by note or otherwise, to come forward promptly and settle. His recent losses by a disastrous fire make it necessary to collect in all outstanding accounts. He feels thankful to his friends and neighbors for their past patronage and confidence and trusts they will see the necessity for a prompt compliance with this request without further notice.

JOHN J. M'HENRY,
Aug. 27,'69-2m. Benton, Pa.

MILLER'S STORE.

FRESH ARRIVAL OF
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

The subscriber has just returned from the cities with another large and select assortment of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
purchased in New York and Philadelphia at the lowest figure, and which he is determined to sell on as moderate terms as can be procured else where in Bloomsburg. His stock comprises
LADIES' DRESS GOODS
of the choicest styles and latest fashions, together with a large assortment of Dry Goods and Groceries, consisting of the following articles

Carpets,
Oil Cloths,
Cloths,
Cassimeres,
Shawls,
Flannels,
Silks,
White Goods,
Linens,
Hoop Skirts,
Muslins,
Hollowware
Cedarware
Hardware
Queensware,
Boots and Shoes,
Hats and Caps
Hoop Nets,
Umbrellas,
Looking-Glasses,
Tobacco,
Coffee,
Sugars,
Teas,
Rice,
Allspice,
Ginger,
Cinnamon,
Nutmegs,

AND NOTIONS GEN RALLY.

In short, everything usually kept in country stores, to which he invites the attention of the public generally. The highest price will be paid for country produce in exchange for goods.

S. H. MILLER & SON.
Arcade Buildings, Bloomsburg, Pa.

THE HAIR.

A Young Actress will communicate to those interested, important information concerning the Growth, Preservation and Beautifying the Human Hair. Those honoring her with a call at her residence, will receive the desired information and full particulars. Those who cannot make it convenient to call, will receive the same (FREE) by mail, by addressing

Miss ANNA CAMPION.
182 Bleecker Street.
Aug. 13,'69-1m. New York.

IMPORTANT

TO BUILDERS, HOUSEHOLDERS & TENANTS.

The undersigned would announce to the citizens of Bloomsburg and vicinity that he is prepared to execute

HOUSE, SIGN, AND ORNAMENTAL
PAINTING

in all its branches.

PAPER HANGING

Carefully attended to.

Strict attention to business and good workmanship it is believed will merit a fair show of public patronage.

Shop on Catharine Street between Third and Fourth.

Mar.5,'69-1y. WM. F. RODINE.

LEGAL NOTICES.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF LEONARD STINEMAN DEC'D.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county an Auditor to distribute the balance in the hands of Michael P. Eyerly, Administrator of L. Stineman late of Bloom township in said county, deceased, will meet the parties interested, at the Prothonotary's office in Bloomsburg on Saturday the 28th day of Aug. A. D., 1869, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purposeof his appointment. All persons having claims against said estate will be required to present them at that time, or be excluded from any share of the fund.

GEORGE COLEMAN,
Aug6,'69-it. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN RICHARDS DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Jno. Richards late of Pine township, Columbia co., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Rosalinda Richards of said twp. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent are requested to make them known, and those indebted to make payment.

ROSALINDA RICHARDS,
Aug. 13,'69-6t. Administratrix.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN CONNER, DEC'D.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John Conner, late of Benton township, Columbia county have been granted by the Register of Columbia County to Emanuel Laubach, of Benton twp. Columbia county Pa. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to the Executor in Benton township, Columbia county, Pa. Those indebted to the estate either on note, judgment, mortgage or book account will make payment to the Executor without delay.

EMANUEL LAUBACH,
Aug. 13,'69-6w. Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE of JOHN I. HESS, deceased. Letters testamentary on the estate of John I. Hess, late of Bloom twp, Columbia County, have been granted by the Register of Columbia county, to I. W. McKelvy of Bloom township, Columbia Co., Pa. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to I. W. M'Kelvy, Bloomsburg, Columbia Co., Pa, and those indebted to the estate, either on note or book account will make payment to him without delay.

I. W. McKELVY,
Executor.
Aug. 20,'69-6w

REAL ESTATE SALES.

FOR SALE.

Will be offered for sale at the residence of the subscriber in Fishingcreek township on Friday September 3rd 1869 at 2 oclock in the afternoon if not previously disposed of, the following

REAL ESTATE,

situate in Fishing Creek and Benton townships,
ONE TRACT of timber land in Fishing Creek, near Stillwater, containing between three and four hundred acres.
ONE TRACT near Stillwater in Benton and Fishing Creek township containing one hundred and twenty acres, twenty acres of which are improved, the remainder is heavily timbered with rock oak, white oak, chestnut, and pitch pine. On this tract is erected a story and a half

DWELLING HOUSE,

and new frame barn. These tracts will be sold entire or in any desired portions. Several building lots near Stillwater, on the main road.

Terms made known on day of sale. Persons desiring to purchase at private sale should address or call on WM. IKELER,
July 30,'69-6w. Stillwater, Pa.

PRIVATE SALE.
OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

The undersigned, Executor of Cyrus Fry, late of Bloom township deceased, offers at private sale a certain house and lot, situate in Bloomsburg, on Rock Street, bounded by lots of I. W. & H. C. Hartman, and by another lot belonging to said estate, containing seventy-three feet front. The terms are reasonable, and possession will be given within thirty days after the sale.

I. S. KUHN,
Apr.30,69-tf Executor.

FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers at private sale the property of John Allen, situate in East Bloomsburg and consisting of two building lots, on one of which is erected a good TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE with necessary out-buildings. A good well of water on the premises. For full particulars apply to JACOB S. EVANS,
July 30,'69,6w. Bloomsburg, Pa.

PRIVATE SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned offer at private sale their farm situate in Fishingcreek township Col. co, bounded by lands of Abraham Young, Philip Appleman, and Henry Eyer containing

ONE HUNDRED ACRES

about seventy acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, the balance thirty timber. There are on the premises a frame house and out buildings, frame barn and out buildings, good water and thrifty fruit trees.

Terms reasonable. Possession given on the first of April next. For particulars apply to
CHARLES J. KRAMER & BROS.
Sept. 3,'69-tf. On the premises.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned Heirs of the estate of Jacob Golio late of Mifflin township, Columbia county, deceased, will expose to public sale, on Saturday the 18th day of September 1869, at 2 o'clock in the forenoon by Public Vendue on the premises, a certain

TRACT OF LAND,

(or farm) situate in Mount Pleasant township, Columbia county adjoining land of James Grimes Bloomsburg Railroad Iron Company, Mahlon Hamlin, Thomas Trench and Fishingcreek, containing SEVENTY ACRES and SEVENTY THREE PERCHES, nearly all cleared Land and in a good state of cultivation. The improvements are a good two story frame dwelling house, frame barn, frame horse stable, frame wagon shed, and other out buildings, a pump near the house, and all sorts of fruit.

Late the estate of the said deceased Situate in Mount Pleasant township, county aforesaid.

Terms of sale will be made known on the day of sale by

HESTER J. KELLER,	P. D. KELLER,
STEPHEN GOLIO,	SARAH GOLIO,
LYDIA ANN HESS,	WM. HESS,
FANNY M. KISTLER,	BENJAMIN KISTLER
NAVILLA IKELER,	W. P. IKELER.

Mt. Pleasant, Aug. 20,'69-4t.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

The undersigned administrator of the estate of Mathias Appleman, late of West Hemlock township Montour county, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on Saturday, September 18th, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following

TRACT OF LAND,

situate in said township, bounded and described as follows, to wit: on the north by lands of J. & D. Chinds, on the east by lands of heirs of Samuel Brugler, on the south by lands of Levi Wright, and on the west by lands of John Wolf containing 25 ACRES AND 73 PERCHES, seventy acres of which is cleared land and in a good state of cultivation, on which is erected a

TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE,

Bank Barn, and other outbuildings with a good spring of water at the door. There is also an excellent apple orchard on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, and the balance on the first day of April, 1870, when possession will be given, unless other arrangements are made between the administrator and purchaser.

GEORGE APPLEMAN,
Administrator.

☞*Danville Intelligencer*, please copy three weeks and send bill to this office.
Aug. 27,'69-3t.

FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers to dispose of at private sale, on reasonable terms the

VALUABLE HOTEL STAND,

at Light Street, Columbia county, Pa., known as the "Walnut Hotel," and now occupied by Samuel Kline.

It is favorably located for the transaction of business, and if properly kept, would not fail to return a handsome income.

Questions as to title, possession, conditions etc satisfactorily answered by

C. B. BROCKWAY,
Aug. 20,'69-tf. Agent.

PUMPS! PUMPS FOR SALE.

The undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of this place and vicinity that he is prepared to furnish at short notice, one of the best WOODEN PUMPS for Wells and Cisterns ever offered to the public. They are guaranteed to throw more water in less time and with less labor than any other pump in this part of the country and they cannot be surpassed for beauty or finish, or simplicity of arrangement, also combining cheapness and durability. Each pump being warranted to perform its work well or no sale. Elias Shannon is agent for Columbia county. Price 75 cents per foot laced in the well. Orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to.

ELIAS SHUMAN,
Sept. 4,'68-1y Catawissa, Pa.

FOR SALE,

PURE BRED HOGS AND FOWLS,
AND
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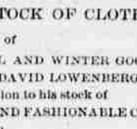
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OLD CORN FOR HOG FEEDING.—One of the leading agricultural journals says of feeding hogs, "begin with refuse grain, bran, and unsound corn and finish off with old corn, if there be any on hand."

Now this "old corn" is the subject of our story. Why should we finish off with old corn and not with new? What is in the old corn that is wanting to the new? Is this grain like wine, that improves with age? We do not mean to ridicule the idea. We have great respect for old notions, *prima facia*, and will not treat them with disrespect unless we can prove them *dis*-respectful; and we confess as regards this, we want the direct proof. It is a very well-settled fact that good, firm pork cannot be made of such ordinary slops as are fed to hogs, nor of pumpkins, turnips, cabbages, &c., and that corn is the best of food for the purpose. But is it the quality of hardness in the corn that makes the meat firm, and therefore the harder the better, and therefore old corn better than new? Suppose we grind the old corn, how then? or suppose we soak it?

The dryness and hardness of old corn is a serious objection of itself, and it behooves those who maintain the superiority of old over new to show in what it consists; or if that cannot be done, to satisfy us by careful experiment that the fact is as they say. Do not let us hold on to this old notion because it is old.

There is another little matter we should like to have settled in this pork business. Will pork, killed in the wrong time of the moon, "shrink in the pot?" That is if you kill on the decrease, will a big piece of meat, put in the pot come out a small piece, and *vice versa?* A great many people practice this notion who will not own that they believe it. The writer engaged to sell a lot of pork, on one occasion, to a very intelligent gentleman, who requested that it might be killed when the moon was all right, remarking, with a smile that the *ladies* thought it of some importance.

Whether swine's flesh is subject to this sort of lunacy we will not determine, but suggest that the matter be set at rest by a fair trial.—*Exchange.*

TRAINING HORSES.—Colts are left entirely too long before they are taken in hand for breaking in. Their future life should be a part of their earliest education; instead of, as generally now, left to go as they list until the time arrives for the professional "breaker" to practice on them. It is just as easy while commencing to fondle and pet with them, to learn them to be obedient to the halter and other things; and they would then be brought to work more easily, and with a better spirit than they now often are. We saw at the close of the war a seven-year old, which had hitherto known service only as a cavalry horse, "broken in" to go in a heavy wagoon. The cruelty—it was nothing else—"necessary" though it seemed to be, shameful. The owner had bought him for that purpose and he "would not pull." Two men with green clubs beat him for nearly an hour, during which time he broke the wagon and the gears nearly all to pieces in his rearings and layings down. He learned at last that all this meant that he had to pull forwards, and he ever afterwards made an excellent driving horse. But all that suffering might have been avoided by a proper training when young. There are some horses like some men, whose nature is essentially vicious, and with whom the rod cannot be spared without spoiling the child; but with a proper training of the colt, it would be found in horse-raising, as in child raising the old rules of kicking and cuffing will be oftener more honored in the breach than in the observance.—*Philadelphia Press.*

CORN FODDER.—A falling off in milk, and the neglect to provide food for soiling, induces many to turn stock into meadows early, and before they have become thickly coated with aftermarth. It is bad economy, very injurious to meadows, while the seemingly "fair feed" is swept away in a few days, and a scanty yield of milk is the result for the balance of the season. There is no crop, therefore, that pays the dairyman better one year with another, than the few acres devoted to corn fodder. Corn fodder should be fed in the stalls, as there is no waste, besides the stock thus fed are more quiet and less disposed to hang about, waiting for their feed, as they do when the fodder is given them in the open field. Each cow in the stall gets its proper share of food, and there is no hooking or soiling of the fodder by master cows. The herd should be fed regularly at stated hours, and they soon become accustomed to the time, coming of their own accord to the stables, and during other portions of the day they will feed more in the pastures.

Corn fodder for soiling should be wetted before feeding. It is a good plan to cut in the morning and let it lay in the sun till afternoon and then feed. In this way some of the external moisture will be got rid off, and the food will be preferred by animals, and produce better results. Corn fodder is very succulent, and does not need to be farther diluted by feeding when the dew or water is adhering to it. Better reduce the water in it by wetting and partially drying.

CANNING CORN.—Mrs. William B. Hazelton, of Marhopac Falls, in the *Michigan Farmer*, says: I take the sweet or even green corn before it gets too old, cut it from the cob, fill my cans full, pressed down. I then take a boiler, lay some sticks in the bottom for my cans to set on; I then lay the covers of the cans on loose, fill the boiler with water so that it will cover half way up the sides of the cans, put the cover on the boiler, boil for three hours briskly, take out and press the covers on tight. Will keep well and have all the flavor of green corn.

HOLDING UP MILK,—A writer in the *Cincinnati Gazette* says the best way to prevent cows from holding up their milk is to milk the forward teats perfectly dry, then change to the two hind teats and milk very fast, and the desired result will most likely be obtained. I have tried this experiment on an old, muley cow that possesses a great deal of obstinacy in this line, and with success. Another writer suggests that it is a better way to take two stones, weighing 15 or 20 pounds each, and tie to them a rope two feet long, and when you go to milk hang it across the cow's back.

THE YOUNG FOLKS.

Tom Thumb.

A poor woodman sat in his cottage one night, smoking his pipe by the fireside, while his wife sat by his side spinning. "How lonely it is, wife," said he, as he puffed out a long curl of smoke, "for you and me to sit here by ourselves, without any children to play about and amuse us, while other people seem so happy and merry with their children!" "What you say is very true," said the wife, sighing, and turning round her wheel; "how happy should I be if I had but one child! If it were ever so small—nay, if it were no bigger than my thumb—I should be very happy, and love it dearly." Now—odd as you may think it—it came to pass that this good woman's wish was fulfilled, just in the very way she had wished it; for, not long afterwards, she had a little boy, who was quite healthy and strong, but was not much bigger than my thumb. So they said, "Well, we cannot say we have not got what we wished for, and, little as he is, we will love him dearly." And they called him Thomas Thumb.

They gave him plenty of food, yet for all they could do he never grew bigger, but kept just the same size as he had been when born. Still his eyes were sharp and sparkling and he soon showed himself to be a clever little fellow, who always knew well what he was about.

One day, as the woodman was getting ready to go into the wood to cut fuel, he said, "I wish I had some one to bring the cart after me, for I want to make haste." "Oh, father," cried Tom "I will take care of that; the cart shall be in the wood by the time you want it." Then the woodman laughed, and said, "How can that be? you cannot reach up to the horse's bridle." "Never mind that, father," said Tom; "if my mother will only harness the horse, I will get into his ear and tell him which way to go." "Well," said the father, "we will try for once."

When the time came the mother harnessed the horse to the cart, and put Tom into his ear; and as he sat there the little man told the beast how to go, crying out "Go on!" and "Stop!" as he wanted: and thus the horse went on just as well as if the wood man had driven it himself into the wood. It happened that as the horse was going a little too fast, and Tom was calling out, "Gently! gently!" two strangers came up. "What an odd thing that is!" said one; "there is a cart going along, and I hear a carter talking to the horse but yet I can see no one." "That is queer, indeed," said the other; "let us follow the cart, and see where it goes." So they went on into the wood, till at last they came to the place where the woodman was. Then Tom Thumb, seeing his father, cried out, "See, father, here I am with the cart, all right and safe! now take me down!" So his father took hold of the horse with one hand, and with the other took his son out of the horse's ear, and put him down upon a straw, where he sat as merry as you please.

The two strangers were all this time looking on, and did not know what to say for wonder. At last one took the other aside, and said, "That little urchin will make our fortune, if we can get him, and carry him about from town to town as a show; we must buy him."

So they went up to the woodman, and asked him what he would take for the little man: "He will be better off," said they, "with us than with you." "I won't sell him at all," said the father; "my own flesh and blood is dearer to me than all the silver and gold in the world." But Tom, hearing the bargain they wanted to make, crept up his father's coat to his shoulder, and whispered in his ear, "Take the money, father, and let them have me; I'll soon come back to you."

So the woodman at last said he would sell Tom to the strangers for a large piece of gold, and they paid the piece. "Where would you like to sit?" said one of them. "Oh, put me on the rim of your hat; that will be a nice gallery for me; I can walk about there, and see the country as we go along." So they did as he wished; and when Tom had taken leave of his father they took him away with them.

They journeyed on till it began to be dusky, and then the little man said, "Let me get down, I'm tired." So the man took off his hat, and put him down on a clod of earth, in a ploughed field by the side of the road. But Tom ran about amongst the furrows, and at last slipt into an old mouse-hole. "Good night, my masters!" said he; "I'm off! mind and look sharp after me the next time." Then they ran at once to the place, and poked the ends of their sticks into the mouse-hole, but all in vain; Tom only crawled farther and farther in; and at last it became quite dark, so that they were forced to go their way without their prize, as sulky as could be.

When Tom found they were gone, he came out of his hiding-place, "What dangerous walking it is," said he, "in this ploughed field! If I were to fall from one of these great clods, I should undoubtedly break my neck." At last, by good luck, he found a large empty snail-shell. "This is lucky," said he, "I can sleep here very well;" and in he crept.

Just as he was falling asleep, he heard two men passing by, chatting together; and one said to the other, "How can we rob that rich parson's house of his silver and gold?" "I'll tell you," cried Tom. "What noise was that?" said the thief, frightened; "I'm sure I heard some one speak." They stood still listening, and Tom said, "Take me with you, and I'll soon show you how to get the parson's money." "But where are you?" said they. "Look about on the ground," answered he, "and listen where the sound comes from." At last the thieves found him out, and lifted him up in their hands. "You little urchin!" they said, "what can you do for us?" "Why I can get between the iron window-bars of the parson's house, and throw you out whatever you want." "That's a good thought," said the thieves; "come along, we shall see what you can do."

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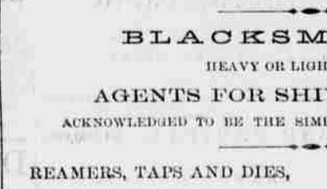

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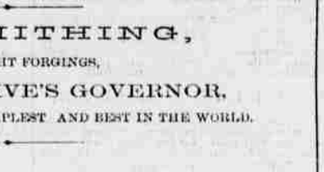

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(ABSTRACTS OF LETTERS.)

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WILLARD N. SMITH.

Sherman, N. Y., March, 29th, 1869.

DR. YOUNG & BRO.—I started your Great Shoshonees Remedy by giving away one bottle to a confirmed Dyspepsia, the result has been ample. It gives universal satisfaction, more than any other medicine we have had in the store for years. From what I have seen of the Shoshonees, I feel justified in recommending it. Send me six doz. more, it will sell in three months, etc.

BYRON FENNER.

Watertown, N. Y., March 15th, 1869.

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Bloomsburg, April 26, 1867.

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to give good satisfaction and terms made to suit purchasers. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for Plows and castings.

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June 1','69-1f.

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July 16,'69-1y.

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Scrofulous poison is one of the most destructive enemies of our race. Often, this unseen and unfelt tenant of the organism undermines the constitution, and invites the attack of enfeebling or fatal diseases, without exciting a suspicion of its presence. Again, it seems to breed infection throughout the body, and then, on some favorable occasion, rapidly develop into one or other of its hideous forms, either on the surface or among the vitals. In the latter, internal cancers may be suddenly deposited in the lungs or heart, or tumors formed in the liver, or it shows its presence by eruptions on the skin, or foul ulcerations on some part of the body. Hence the great usual use of a bottle of this *Sarsaparilla* is advisable, even when no active symptoms of ill-ease appear. Persons afflicted with the following complaints generally find immediate relief, and, at length, cure, by the use of this SARSAPARILLA: *St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Sore Eyes, Sore Ears*, and other eruptions of the visible forms of Scrofulous disease. Also in the more concealed forms, as *Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Heart Disease, Fits, Epilepsy, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Uterine* affections of the nervous and the various *Uterine* affections of the nervous and nervous system.

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